WASHINGTON, D. C., SATURDAY EVENING, MAY 2, 1896-EIGHT PAGES.

Committees of Both Houses to Confer on Grade Crossings.

TO ABATE A NUISANCE

Bill Amending the Harbor Regulations, Making It a Misdemeanor to Throw Dead Fish or Other Offal Into the River, Favorably Reported-Local Chims.

Chairman Babcock of the House District mmittee has gone to his home in Wiscon-on a flying visit, but will return in time to meet toe subcommittees of the Senate and House Distract Committees on railways next Tuesday in Philadelphia, where a confer-ence will be held with the officials of the Baltimore and Ohlo Radroad, on the general

subject of grade crossings.

The letter of the governor of Wisconsin referring to the statue of Pere Marquette. Inid before the Senate by Mr. Vilas, is as

Madison, Wis., March 19, 1896.—Sir: It gives me pleasure to inform you, and, through you, the honorable body over which you preside, that the State of Wisconsin, in use to the invitation extended to the response to the invitation extended to the States of the Union under section 1814 of the Revised Statutes of the United States and in accordance with the resolution passed at the first session of Congress in 1863, has placed in the old half of the House of Repre-sentatives at the Capitol of the United States a marble statue of Pere Marquette. This statue was made in pursuance of an act
of the legislature of this State passed at its
biennial session in 1887, and is the work of
the Italian soulptor, Mr. G. Trentanove, of
Florence, Italy.

I have the honor, in behalf of the State of

Wisconsin, of presenting this statue to the Congress of the United States. W. H. UPHAM.

Governor of Wiscon EXTENDING HARBOR JEGULATIONS. The report of Chairman Babecek of the House District Committee on the bill amending the harbor regulations of this rity, is as follows:

"The object of the bill is to prevent the

"The object of the thir is to prevent the throwing of dead fish, cyster shells, garbage and all kinds of offal into the waters of the Potemac River and its tributaries within the District of Columbia.
"To enforce the provisions of the act, their violation is made a misdemeanor punishable by fine not exceeding \$100, or provision made in a most account.

by imprisonment not acceding six months or by both such punishments, in the court's discretion.
"The bill was framed by the District Commissioners to meet a missince seri-ously threatening the health of the people

near the river, and particularly of those living in the vicinity of the wharves where fishing houts congregate.
"In the spring and summer, when fish are abundant, the Potomac at the wharves and below for some distance is full of dead." fish and fish offal. Thousands of fish.

fish and fish offal. Thousands of fish, spoiled or unsalable, are thrown overboard every day to decay in the water, rendering the water foul and the air offensive, and seriously menacing public health. Besides carrion, there is much decaying vegetable matter thrown into and contributing to the pollution of the water.

"The passage of the bill is unanimously recommended by the committee."

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the Schale cohleres on the marriage bill
will agree to all of the Bouse amendments.
While no conclusion has been reached, it is
understood that the Senate members of the conference committee are more friendly inclined than heretofore to the bill as diet. perfected by the House.

FORD THEATER CLAIMS. The special committee on the Ford's heater disaster has finished the cases of all chimants, but about thirty. These will be taken up at once, and the list made up for presentation to Congress. The amounts range from less than \$100 up to near \$5,000. made to put these claims in the deficiency bill as an amendment. If that cannot be done, a separate bill will be introduced. There is a disposition to finish the matter

Mr. McMillan introduced a bill - S. 3012-Mr. McMillan introduced a one S. Solvine conferring jurisdiction upon the district supercine court or any general equity court to decree the sale of an insane person's real estate here for the purpose of reinvestment.

Any such sale must be reported to and confirmed by the court, and the money

only med by the court, and the money prising from it must be used under the di-rection of the court.

The money obtained from one piece of property, it is specifically provided, may be used to put improvements on other property belonging to the same person. A lease also may be made by order of the court. The bill was referred to the District

Committee.

Mr. McMilian presented a petition from twelve residents of Petworth, asking that the amendment be made to the District appropriation bill as offered by Mr. Carter,

restriction whatever.

Certain of Being Admitted to Methodist General Conference.

Have Secured a Majority of Six Votes in the Committee Representing the Fourteen District Conferences.

Cleveland, Ohio, May 2 .- The four wowho have been elected as delegates to the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church and their supporters claim to have gained a substantial victory and the indications are that when the question is fought out on the floor of the conference on Menday the women will

rome out with flying colors.

The fourteen district conferences have held meetings and selected committeemento represent their respective districts on the committee which will report on the eligibilfty of women to the conference. The result was a complete victory for the women.
the committee now standing 17 to 11 in favor
of the anconditional admission of women.
Rev. Dr. J. M. Buckley of New York city,
the leader of the opposition to the admission
of women, was selected from the Second district, and he will lead the opposition on the floor of the conference. From the Eighth

thefloorofthic conference. From the Eighth district the circial geresentative is Rev. Dr. A. G. Kynett of Philadelphia, one of the leaders of the woman's side.

The committee will make a majority and minority report on Monday, and then the most exciting session of the conference will be held. Almost all other questions have been lost sight of, and the business of the conference will be unimportant until the woman question is settled.

Bishon Foster, of Boston, called the gen-

woman question is settled.

Bishop Foster, of Boston, called the general conference to order this morning. The Rev. Dr. Parker, of India, led the devotional exercises. He show 1 his preference for the cause of women by praying that God might bless the men and women who take part in this general conference.

Bishop Potter said that the order of the

Basion Fotter sain that the body must be preserved and to that end he called upon the delegates to assist him in maintaining order. It was carried that the Epworth League

It was carried that the Epworth League committee consist of one delegate from each annual conference, and that the members of this committee be chosen in the same way as the standing committees are chosen. The judiciary committee will be chosen by the bishops.

The conference argued for a long time over the appointment of a committee on constitution. The motion as amended by Dr. C. H. Payne of Cincinnati conference was adopted providing for the appointment of a committee on conment of a committee of thirty-one on con-stitution, two members to be sejected from ach general conference district and three

DISCUSSED CUBAN AFFAIRS.

Consul General Fitzhagh Lee Holds Consul General Fitzhugh Lee Holds a Conference With Secretary Olney.

Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, the new consul general of the United States at Havana, called at the State Department this morning and had conferences with Secretary Olney and Assistant Secretary Rockhull. The Culsan situation was gone over, but further conferences will be hold.

The date of Gen. Lee's departure for his post has not been settled and he will probably remain in Washington several days, posting himself on the state of affairs in the island, as shown by the reports received at the department.

Japan's Minister Transferred.

The Japanese minister in Washington.
Mr. Shinichiro Kurino, has received notice from his government that he will be transferred to the Italian mission. His successor will be Mr. Hoshi Tori, a distinguished man in Japan, and formerly president of the lower house of the Japanese diet.

In Search of Clews.

Mounted Police Serrt. Slattery was busy today following up clews which he thinks will connect Noah Warlart, colored, with the murder of John Wesley Hall, the crippled shocmaker. Warner is sald to be a vondoo doctor, and was locked up by the sergeant last night at No. 8 on "suspicion of murder."

The fish commission steamer Albatross arrived at Mare Island, Cal., today. The little gunboat Petrel reached San Francisco vesterday after a long voyage from the Chinese station. Movements of Naval Vessels.

Autopsy on Austin's Body. Coroner Glazebrook at 4 o'clock this after-noon in the Emergency Hospital morgue over the remains of William A. Austin, the Maine yeteran who died yesterday at the bosnite!

Nicaraguan Rebellion Ended A private cablegram received here from Managua today announces that the rebel forces in Nicaragua have surrendered and that the rebellion in that republic has ended.

ARLINGTON TONIGHT.

List of Horses Entered to Start at the Baltimore Track.

Mr. McMillan presented a petition from twelve residents of Petworth, asking that the amendment be made to the District appropriation bill as offered by Mr. Carter, providing \$5,000 for the improvement of libinots street, Petworth.

The Commissioners this morning sent to Chairman McMillan a letter to accompany a bill to restrict the spread of contagions diseases. The bill was not sent Letters from Health Officer Woodward and Attorney for the District Thomas accompany the letter.

Mr. Thomas says the law of 1890 is defective, in that it does not permit the health officer to offix penalties to regulations he may make to prevent the spread of scarlet fever and diphtheria.

Dr. Woodward say sthat persons who have been in attendance upon cases of these diseases can go about among the community without restraint, and that for Asiatic cholera, yellow fever, typhus fever, leprosy and glanders, there is absolutely no restriction whatever.

Congress Heights office 631 Pa. ave. nw

DISTRICT IN CONGRESS WOMEN SURE OF WINNING WALTER WILL COME BACK YOUTH IN THE CHURCH IN SENATE AND HOUSE MUZZAFFIR-I-DIN IS SHAH AMONG HONORED DEAD

President Alden Says This Is Neces-

The first business transacted was the remission of the Berlin, Ontario, society into membership with the league, after which President Ezra Hyde Aiden, of Philippin Company of the Compan

adelphia, delivered an interesting address

feel the hopelessness of the outlook," he said; "to believe that because we are stuck fast in the clay of indifference, or the

CONCERTED ACTION NECESSARY.

The speaker devoted a greater portion of

respect, and that we all need an awaken-

ing and quickening of the desire to be of service to the Lord and the church in the work of our societies."

The report of Miss Ida W. Hunt of this

people, who had no direct means of attend-ing New Church worship.

The report showed the receipt of seventy letters from twenty-seven different States, the writers being characterized by Miss Hunt as forming a national congregation of 125 members. One means suggested for interesting them in the work was by publishing

esting them in the work was by publishing a directory containing the names of such isolated young people for the benefit of the various societies, and the distribution of literature at stated periods to them.

The reading circle committee presented an interesting paper on the marriage question, which showed that the topic selected for the reading course had been "Conjugal Love."

WILL DEDICATE THE CHURCH.

Following the work of the League of Young People's Societies, at 2 o'clock this afternoon, the seventy-sixth annual

this afternoon, the seventy-sixth annual session of the general convention of the New Jerusalem opened. Rev. John Worces-

We are too inclined in our societies to

Be Dedicated.

the work of the league."

An Atlantic City Crank Who How to Interest the Young Dis- Mr. Wolcott Attacks the Naval cussed by Swadenborgians. . Imagines He Is President.

CAME HERE TO BE SWORN IN

He Was Confined in St. Elizabeth's While His Friends Mourned Him as Dead-Upon His Release He Returned to New Jersey, Where the Pres idential Mania Again Seized Him.

A man who has been regarded as dead and buried for nineteen months by his rela-tive and friends, gave them a great surprise yesterday by making his appearance in their midst in the fiesh. He was hale and hearty and did not bear any of the earmarks of an individual who had been esurrected from the tomb. The police records of this city, including "crank ledger" in Sanitary Officer

the sequel of how he surprised that community by appearing on the streets, ciad in ream-colored spring suit. Children who had heard their elders dis cuss his death regarded the well-known form as that of a ghost from the shadowy land

Frank's headquarters, tell the interesting

story of the man's sudden and mysterious

disappearance from the world at large. A dispatch from Atlantic City in turn tells



"Prof." Robert Walter.

of spooks, and fled from him in terror of spooks, and led from an activities while the more mature residents had to gaze at him long and carnestly before they would beheve that the man before them was really the "professor." whose demise from this vale of tears had been chronicled in the newspapers and whispered in the family circles nearly two years ago.

IN THE ASYLUM. The police records here show that dur-ing the nincteen months of "Frof." Robert Waiter's disappearance from the busy throngs of the world, he was an inmate of a strong ward at the government insance asylum, on the beights beyond East Wash

Walter is an eccentric individual, and was water is an eccentral throat throat the town character of At-lantic City. He finally fell into the hands of several practical jokers there, it is said, and they convinced the feeble-minded fellow that he had been elected President of the United States by "thirteen million of the United States by indiced integral majority," and it afterward proved to be an unlucky thirteen, indeed, for him. They finally persuaded him to come to Washington and claim his right to the Executive chair, and to carry out the Joke, urnished the demented man with a rail-

cay ticket to this city.
Visitors to Atlantic City will remember
Valler as "the life-raft man," and how be Walter as "the life-raft man." and how he wise president Worcester will deliver his was given a triumphal escort to the / 7s which were to bring him here. I so happened that he got upon a train upon which President Cleveland was traveling, and when he reached the Sixth street depot and accommodating policeman was in wait-ing to take charge of the crank before he could reach the White House and perhaps

an accommodating police man was in was at once taken to the office of Sanitary Officer Frank, at police headquarters. He gave his name as Robert Walter, and told a rambling story about being "New Jersey's favorite son," who had been elected to the Presidency by 13,060,000 majority, bashies receiving a divine commission to occupy the White House and right the wrongs of the resple by means of a system of wind telegraph, by which his thoughts and desires could be instantly walted to the four corners of the earth, if necessary.

President Worcester will make the dedicatory address, and will be assisted in the service by Rev. A. L. Frost, of Cambridge, Mass.

The exercises will also be made by Rev. A. L. Frost, of Cambridge, Mass.

The exercises will bega with the carry-ing of the word from the old house of worship to the new one, and will be participated in by the advisory committee having charge of the mission work among the colored people of this city, consisting of Rev. Jabez Fox. Prof. J. W. Haat, Mrs. Elien S. Mussey, Mr. Spamer, Dr. C. M. Cameron, Mr. Prentiss agd the officers of the New Church convention now in session.

of what desires could be instantly wafted to the four corners of the earth, if necessary.

On this statement Walter was sent to Lieut Kelly's station and placed in a cell. On the following day he was examined by the police surgeons, pronounced insanesiffering with the Presidential manianate it was reported in Atlantic City that Waiter was dead, and the news spread throughout the State.

During the nearly two years of his confinement, the "professor" proved to be the liveliest sort of a corpse, but he appeared to gradually improve mentally, and on March 17 last Supt. Godding discharged him as improved sufficiently to return to his friends. He informed Sanitary Officer Frank that he had a brother living at West-

Frank that be had a brother living at West-Frank that he had a brother it in at west minster. Carroll county, Md., who would give him a home, and he was furnished free transportation to that point. From the date of his release until he reached New Jersey, Walter led the life of a tramp in the mountains of Western Maryland, it ap-

SECOND EDITION OF COL. PINCHOVER. The Washington authorities heard no more of Walter until yesterday afternoon, when word reached this city that he had when word reached this chy data is now suddenly made his appearance in Atlantic City. As soon as he reached that place the old Presidential mania returned to him and he announced his intention of going to Washington next March to be sworn in as chief executive of the nation. When an Atlantic City merchant expressed his sur-

Atlantic City merchant expressed his sur-prise at seeing Walter alive the latter exclaimed:
"You thought I was dead, hey? Well, I was dead. Locked up among a lot of lost souls and cheated out of the Presidency. If thirteen millions did not get me in I will go to Washington next fall with thirty millions behind me". Walter is said to be a second edition of the late Col. Maurice Pinchover.

BURGLARS IN A SHOE SHOP. Archie Revnolds' Place Entered.

Other Robberies Reported. Housebreakers were at work last night, Archic Reynolds of No. 711 Third street southwest reported to Inspector Hollin-berger that his shoe shop was entered be-tween 9 and 11 o'clock by forcing the front door. The thicves got away with twelve pairs of shoes, ne wly half-soled and heeled for his customers; also a lot of patch-

An open-face, nickel watch was stolen from the vest pocket of Frank Wallace while that garment was hanging in the office of his livery stable, No. 714 I street

A sack coat and brown derby hat were stolen from Ratly Edmunds of No. 511 Twenty-second street north west. The fowl house of Charles Carter, on the Biadensburg road, was entered last night

President.

The excursion season at Marshall Hall opens May 4. Morning and afternoon trips to Mount Vernon and Marshall Hall. Planked shad dinners every day.

CONCERTED ACTION ADVISED BURDENS OF THE PEOPLE

Representative Hepburn Declares

Appropriation Bill.

sary for Success-How to Reach the That the Bankruptcy Bill Gives Isolated Young People-Encourage Creditors Another Grip Upon Debt ing Reports Presented-Chapel to ors-He Regards It as a Debt Col-

The fifth day's session of the Sweden After routine morning business today the borgian convention was devoted to the ninth naval appropriation bill was taken up in the Scnate, the pending question being on Mr. Chandler's amendment appropriating nual conference of the American League of New Church Young People's Societies devotional services were led by Rev. \$4,000,000 for twenty torpeds boats and L. G. Hoeck, and the meeting consisted of torpedo boat destroyers. an address by the president of the league. Mr. Gorman argued against the amend ment. He said the provision reported by reports of committees, reports from the so-cieties composing the league and a discussion of "Ways and means of interesting the isolated young people of the church in

the Committee on Appropriations allowed \$1,500,000 for torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroyers; and he thought that in the present condition of affairs was ample. He added that if the submarine boat, now being built, of the Holland type, was successful, it would revolutionize the whole system of torpedo boats all over the world.

Mr. Chandler advocated the amendment and said that the net saving effected by it.

in view of striking out two battleships and some torpedo boats, would be \$8, In the course of the discussion some com

rut of worm-out ideas, only superhuman help can relieve us and send us ouward again.

"Let us bestir ourselves, put our shoul-ders to the wheel, and half the apparent difficulties will vanish; the clay will cense plimentary things were said of the Secretary of the Navy and this led Mr. Wolcott to make the commentary that, with the it forsement of the Secretary of the Nay yand of the Secretary of the Treasury by Repub-lican Senators, every gentleman of the existing Cabinet would be indorsed by the Republican side and not by Senators on the Democratic side. He went on to to be so sticky; the ruts will not look so deep, and with a long and strong pull together we may soon be going forward once more." on the Bemocratic said. He went to say, with great spirit and impetuosity: "I was very much impressed with the ar-gument of the Senator from Maryland (Mr. Gorman), who showed us that this coun-try was gradually drifting into a condition The speaker devoted a greater portion of bis address to the necessity of concerted action in this work. Continuing, he said: ."I believe that in proportion to our nom-inal membership those who thus work are few; that we are too prane to excuse our-selves and others for shortcomings in this of insolvency. I was impressed by the warnings that we on this side of the chamber should keep down expenditures into absolute necessities until we had revenue enough to pay the running expenses of the govern-

"If it was true that this government has run behind in its expenditures; if it is true— and no Senator has ventured to dispute it— that this country is marching on to the issue city, corresponding secretary of the league, was a feature of the work of the morning session. The particular branch of work touched upon was the correspondence be-tween Miss Hent and isolated New Church of additional bonds, and that no power nder beaven can stop it, then I ask: In the name of what patriotism are we putting on the necks of the people interest-bearing securities in order that we may build twenty additional torpedo boats to cruise around our harbors?

Mr. Chandler's amendment was defeated. ACTION OF THE HOUSE. The House, after the reading of the journal today, proceeded, in committee of the whole, to final consideration of the bankrupter bill.

An amendment proposed by Mr. Spald An american proposed of all spaces ing was agreed to, striking out of the bill the clause describing as an act of bank ruptcy the failure of a debior to take up, while insolvent, commercial paper to the amount of \$500 for a period of thirty days after date of payment and until Mr. Hepburn made a vigorous attack upon

the bill. His first point was that, politi-cally, it would be a bad thing for the Re-publican party for the House to pass the bill. He reviewed the history of the three bills

New Acrosacem opened, acc., and to ter, president of the convention, was in the chair, and made a short speech.

The first part of the convention was devoted to the reading of reports and the appointment of committees, and will be followed tonight by a meeting at 8 o'clock. the reviewed the history of the three this which have become hiws in the history of the country, and asserted that their passage had resulted in the overthrow from power of the dominant party responsible for the legislation.

As a matter of fact, Mr. Hepturn said,

the bill was intended to give the creditor another grip upon his debtor, which he did not have when the debt was contracted— it was a debt-collecting measure, and noth-Mr. Grosvenor, responding in part to Mr.

Hepburn's remarks, advocated the passage of the bill as tending to restore credit, which

JOLLY FIRE UNDERWRITERS. Annual Planked Shad Dinner Enjoyed at Marshall Hall.

The Association of Fire Underwriters of the District left this afternoon for Marshall Hall, where they enjoyed their annual planked-shad dinner. Over 150 members of the association made

the trip. They had as their guests many well-known business men. Invitations had been extended to the underwiters' associa-tions of Philadelphia and Baltimere, but business engagements prevented a large business engagements prevented a large attendance from both bodies. In spite of the inciement weather the Underwriters enjoyed the festivities at Marshall Hall. There were no set speeches. The Underwriters never have such things, but the wittleisms delivered around the board easily took the place of addresses and landatory remarks.

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Among those accepting invitations were Major Moare, Hon Simon Wolf, Robert Downing and the well-known quartet, consisting of W. G. MacFarland, Frank P. Reeside, B. A. Ryan and Perry B. Turpin. The directors of the association are John B. Wight, president; Henry K. Simpson, vice B. Wight, president; Henry R. Simpson, yield president, and Dr. W. P. Young, secretary and treasurer. The executive committee having the excursion in hand consisted of W. Clarence Duvall, H. C. Birge, W. P. Boteler, T. Janney Brown, F. W. Pratt and

PRESIDENT'S MIND UNBALANCED For That Reason the Bank Closed Its Doors.

Tuscola, III., May 2.- The Bank of Fairland, III., has closed as doors for business. There is due the depositors about \$5.000. They will be paid in full. They will be paid in full.

The closing of the institution was brought about by the president. John D. Saltzer, becoming mentally unbalanced. A conservator has been appointed for him by the court. A few years ago he accidentally shot a boy's eye out, and the regret and worry over the occurrence has caused him reason to be shaken. He paid the boy \$5,000 for the least he caused him. for the loss he caused him.

WEYLER'S OPINION CHANGES. Now He Wants Two Years to Sup-Now He Wants Two Years to Suppress the Insurrection.

Madrid, May 2.—The Heraldo publishes what purports to be an interview with Capt. Gen. Weyler in Havana, wherein Weyler is alleged to have expressed the opinion that it will require two year sto suppress the rebellion in Cuba and that it will be necessary to postpone all political reforms on that island until the insurrection is crushed.

Buggy Struck by a Train.

Raleigh, N. C., May 2.—A passenger train on the Southern Railway at Durisam this morning struck a buggy containing A. G. Bauer, an architect of Raleigh, a native of Philadelphia, and Charles H. Norton, an architect of Durham. Both are very seriously injured. Norton internally, and Bauer about the head.

More Votes for McKinley.

Lafayette, Ind., May 2.—The Tippecanoe delegation to the Republican State convention met Loday and passed unanimously a resolution declaring in favor of State instructions for McKinley.

Second Son of the Assassinated Monarch Proclaimed as Ruler.

Fears That Internal Disorders Will Take Place Which He May Find It Difficult to Suppress.



Muzaffir-I-Din, the New Shah,

Teheran, May 2.-The following details were obtained through official sources this morning: The shah, accompanied by the grand vizier. Asshar, and a number of attendants, paid a visit to the shrine of Shah Abdul Azim. His majesty traversed the outer court of the shrine, where he stopped and gave a bank note to an Arab and spoke a few kind words to a water carrier. Two chains barred the way to the inner

court of the shrine. The shah had just passed the first chain when the assassin approached him, and when within a few feet of him fired a revolver, the bullet from which struck the shah near the heart.

from which struck the shah near the heart. His majesty fell forward upon his knees, but rose to his feet, and walked a few paces, when he fell again.

The assassin was immediately seized and hurried away. The shah at once became unconscious and was immediately taken to his carriage and conveyed to the palace at Teheran, whither doctors were summoned as quickly as possible. When the physicians arrived at the palace they found the shah dead, and certified that his



Nazir-I-Din, the Murdered Shah of Persia.

death was caused by a bullet lodged in the perioardial region, between the sixth and serventh ribs.

Muzaffur-Ed-Deen, the dead monarch's

second son and heir to the throne, has been oclaimed shah. Paris, May 2.—The entire Paris press made regretful and sympathetic references to the violent death of the Shah of Persia. and, regarding the affair in its political aspect, express the thought that England will now endeavor to regain her lost aspect, express the thought that England will now endeavor to regain her lost prestige in Persia. In any case, the papers say, there is reason to fear that internal disorders will occur which the new shah may find it difficult to suppress.

EIGHT-HOUR DAY IN BOSTS Painters and Steam Fit Work Without Cut in .ges.

Boston, May 2.—Such of the 1.500 ainters of Boston as had not previously painters of Boston as had not previously secured the eight-hour work day went to work on the shorter-day yesterday. There was no opposition to the change.

The steam fitters and their helpers of this city yesterday went to work under the eight-hour system without change in wages, in accordance with the agreement which terminated the eight-weeks strike beginning September 3, 1895. Both parties concerned express satisfaction with the change.

Col. Fred Grant Reappointed. New York, May 2.—Coi, Fred D. Grant-appointed police commissioner by Mayor Strong, in May, 1895, to succeed Michael Kerwin, was reappointed police commis-sioner for the full term of six years, and sworn into office by the mayor this fore-

Will Not Accept the Call. Boston, May 2.—Rev. Charles Jefferson of the Central Congregational Church of Chelsea, announced last night that he had decided not to accept the call from the First Congregational Church of Oakland,

Remains of Secretary Gresham to Lie at Arlington.

ONE CENT.

ARRIVAL OF THE BODY

Beautiful Site Selected on the Lawn in Front of the Old Custis Home, and Near the Graves of Sheridan and Porter-There Will Be No Public Ceremony.

The remains of the late Secretary Gresham viil be finally interred in Arington Ceme-

tery at 5 o'clock this afternoon. Oakwood Cemetery, Chicago, yesterday and sent to this city, arriving today at 4 o'clock. One hour later they will have been laid

in their last festing place.

Frequently before his last illness Secretary Gresham expressed to a number of friends and his family an earnest wish that he might at last rest in Arlington. He was a great admirer of the beautiful sational cemetery, and the sentiment had

taken a strong hold on his mind. He died, however, before any such arrangements could be perfected, and his remains were sent to Chicago and temperardy interred at Oak wood.

AMONG THE HONORED DEAD. Both Mrs. Gresham and General Gresham's son, Otto, remembered the Secretary's wish to rest among the nation's hon-ored dead, and during Mrs. Gresham's re-cent liness the son completed arrangements for a transfer.

An application made to Secretary Lamont for a site in Arlington was granted immediately, without the delays usually attending such a request, and the pre-liminaries at this end were fully arranged. Everything is now in readiness for the interment.

The site selected is one of the most beau-

tiful in the cemetery. It is on the sloping lawn in front of the picturesque and materic old home of the Custises and the Lees. A short distance to the left of it is the magnificent monument to Gen. Phil Sheridan, and an equal distance to the right a handsome granite shaft marks the resting place of Gen. Baxter. Admiral Porter's tomb is but a short distance away. A BEAUTIFUL SITE.

The site commands one of the best views of Washington to be obtained. The Potomac which its slivery way, apparently almost within a stone's throw of the grave, and an unobstructed view is laid of the Capitol and new library building. The asphalt road that runs around the top of the fall is less than fifty feet from

The transfer will not be made a public The transfer will not be made a public ceremony. Only Mrs. Gresham and Mr. Otto Gresham, who accompanied the re-mains, and a few friends who will meet the train, are to be present.

As soon as arrangements can be made a handsome monoment will be erected to

mark Gen. Gresbam's grave. HERZ NOT EXTRADITED.

Baron Reinach's Partner in Panama Swindle III in England. London May 2.— In the Bow street po-tice court this morning Sir John Bridge, the presiding magistrate heard argumenta upon an application for the extradition of Dr. Cornelius Herr, who is wanted in France to answer charges of having made threats by letter or otherwise with intent to ex-tort money.

Dr. Herz. who was alleged to have been associated with the late Baron Reimach in the Panama scandal, was, in his absence from the country, sentenced by the French courts to twenty years' imprisonment and to pay a heavy fine, but the application for his extradition on this judgment was res extraction on this judgment was re-utly withdrawn and the one argued today

substituted.
Sir John Bridge, after hearing the arguments, formally refused to grant Dr. Herr's extradition.

Dr. Herz is still lying critically ill at Dr. Herz is still lying critically ill at surnemouth, where he has remained in a ore or less helpless condition for the last

three years EVA BOOTH'S DEPARTURE.

Going to London to Receive Instruc-tions for Her New Command. New York, May 2.—Miss Eva Booth of the Salvation Army sailed today on the steamer Umbria, for Liverpool. A large steamer chora, for the property of the steamer chora, and the dock to hid her bon voyage. She will report at the national headquarters on her arrival at London, and receive final instructions regarding the command of the Salvation Army in Canada, to which tien, Booth her excluded by

has assigned her.

John H. Parnell, M. P., brother of the late Carles Stewart Parnell, was also a passenger on the Umbria. Representatives of the Irish National Club, which recently tendered Mr. Parnell a farewell reception, and delegates from other Irish societies of this city, were at the pier and gave him a rousing fare well.

Burglars Were Disappointed. Burglars Were Disappointed.
Somerville, Pa., May 2. - People living at
the junction of Hamilton and Franklin
streets were awakened at an early hour yesterday morning by a terrific explosion.
Investigation showed that the big safe in
the coal and lumber office of C. J. Smith
had been blown open by burglars, who secured only \$75.

Business Houses Burned. Greenville, Mas., May 2.—The business portion of the town of Indianola, fifty miles east of here, was destroyed by fire yesterday. Half a dozen residences were also burned. The total loss is about \$65,000, with but little insurance. No cause for the fire is known.

Fatality at a Hotel Fire.

New Branswick, N. J., May 2.—Paul Tschumper was burned to death and Louisa Tobeler probably fatally injured at a fire in the hotel of George Aligair, at South River, early yesterday morning. Mrs. Aligair also received painful injuries.

The excursion season at Marshail Hall, opens May 4. Morning and afternion trips to Mount Vernon and Marshail Hall. Planked shad dinners every day.

Dr. Playfair Paid All Costs.

New York, May 2.—A special cable dispatch from London says it is reported that the terms of the compromise in the Kitson-Playfair case were the payment by Dr. Playfair to Mrs. Kitson of \$40,000 cash and costs and the court and counsel fees.

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FULL ACCOUNTS OF

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RACING TODAY. Benning Race Course.

SPRING MEETING

WASHINGTON JOCKEY CLUB, CLOSING DAY.

Five Races Today, including the Washington Handicap, at 1 1-16 miles, and the Sherldan Steeplechase, at 3 miles. Admission to all parts of the grounds, \$1.

Ladies, 50 Cents.

Trains leave Sixth Street Station at 2:00 and 2:30 P. M., returning immediately after last race,

BEN HELLEN, S. S. HOWLAND,

President Worcester will make the dedi-

SENATOR HALE'S GREAT LOSS. His Maine Residence Burned and a

Valuable Library Destroyed.

Elisworth, Me., May 2.—The residence of Senator Eagene Hale was burned this morning. Loss. \$75,000; insurance, \$45,000. The house was unoccupied, but was undergoing repairs. The valuable library and furnishings in the main house were saved. In addition to losing his fine residence, at Elisworth by fire this morning, Senator Hale lost a library that cannot be replaced. Part of the Senator's library is in his Washington house, but there was at Elisworth the collection of looks, papers and pamphlets of the past thirty years, many of them extremely valuable, and absolutely incapable of being replaced. These, more than the mere money loss of the rest of the property, worries Mr. Hale and causes his great regret.

ARMOR BIDS OPENED.

What It Will Cost to Protect the New Battleships.

Bids were opened at the Navy Department today for furnishing armor for the new battleships Kearsarge and Kentucky, under construction at the works of the Newport News Shipbublishing and Dry Dock Company. There were two bidders only, the Camegie Steel Company, of Pittsburg, and the Bethlehem Steel Company, of Bethlehem, Pa.

On the Kearsarge armor the aggregate bid of the Carnegie Company was \$1.548, 162; the Bethlehem Company, \$1,53,3390. On the armor for the Kentucky the aggregate bid of the Carnegie Company was \$1.572,477; the Bethlehem Company, \$1,569,750. New Battleships.

Operators Raise the Scale. Terre Haute, Ind., May 2.—The Chicago and Indiana Coal Company, at Dugger, and the Ehrlich and Vigocompanies, east of here on the Vandalia, yesterday posted notices that they would pay 80 cents, and the men are at work. All other bitaminous mines in

Dismissed the Father.

In the police court this afternoon the charge against George Washington, colored, of committing a criminal assault upon his daughter. Alice, thirteen years of age, was dismissed. Dr. Atams testified, and Judge Miller said there was considerable doubt in his mind, and he gave the defendant the benefit of it.

Favorable Report Ordered.

The Ways and Means Committee today ordered favorable report on the bill of Mr. Evans, of Kentucky, to allow the bottling of distilled spirits in bond, under regulations of the Treasury-Department.

the State north of the Baltimore and Obic Southwestern road, are idle on the demand of the operators for a reduction to 55 cents.

Thieves Were White Men.
No arrests were made today in connection
with the robbery of Charles R. L. Crown,
who was held up in his Turniture store,
No. 301 Four-and-a-half street southwest,
last night and robbed of \$160. The thieves
were white men and are believed to have
left the city.